upon the actual performance of the State in utilizing the fixed component effectively and efficiently.

Funds for potable water facilities

†3067. SHRI MANGANI LAL MANDAL: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government provides funds to the States for potable water facilities under the Rapid Village Water Supply programme in rural areas;

(b) if so, the number of habitations covered so far and likely to be covered under the said programme alongwith the amount to be spent therein and the time limit fixed for the same; and

(c) the State-wise details of the status and achievement made under the said programme?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI A. NARENDRA): (a) and '(b) The Central Government provides funds to the States for potable water facilities in the rural habitations under an ongoing Centrally sponsored scheme, namely, Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme (ARWSP). So far, out of 14,22,664 habitations in the rural areas in the country, 13,56,031 habitations have been partially covered, 60,884 habitations have been fully covered and 5,368 habitations are not covered. It is envisaged to consolidate coverage of all rural habitations in the country by the end of the Tenth Five Year Plan (2002-07). An outlay of Rs. 13245 crore has been provided for the rural drinking water supply in the Tenth Plan.

(c) The present State-wise coverage status is given in the Statement.

Statement

Status of coverage position

SI. No.	State/UT	Number of Habitations			Total
		NC	PC	FC	
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	Andhra Pradesh	0	0	69732	69732
2	Arunachal Pradesh	245	656	3397	4298

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1	2	3	4	5	6
3	Assam	301	1069	5956	70555
4	Bihar	0	0	105340	105340
5	Chhattisgarh	0	0	50379	50379
6	Goa	0	7	388	395
7	Gujarat	0	52	30217	30269
8	Haryana	0	0	6745	6745
9	Himachal Pradesh	0	6891	38476	45367
10	Jammu & Kashmir	678	2640	7866	11184
11	Jharkhand	0	0	100096	100096
12	Karnataka	0	5618	51064	56682
13	Kerala	0	7573	2190	9763
14	M.P.	0	0	109489	109489
15	Maharashtra	346	23743	61841	85930
16	Manipur	0	0	2791	2791
17	Meghalaya	13	404	8219	8636
18	Mizoram	0	112	695	807
19	Nagaland	41	690	794	1525
20	Orissa	0	0	114099	114099
21	Punjab	906	1198	11345	13449
22	Rajasthan	2785	0	91161	93946
23	Sikkim	0	74	1605	1679
24	Tamil Nadu	0	0	66631	66631
25	Tripura	0	0	7412	7412
26	Uttar Pradesh	0	0	243508	243508
27	Uttaranchal	34	274	30666	30974
28	West Bengal	0	0	79036	79036
29	A&N Islands	0	102	402	504
30	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	19	41	456	516

1	2	3	4	5	6
31	Daman & Diu	0	0	32	32
32	Delhi	0	0	219	219
33	Lakshadweep	0	10	0	10
34	Pondicherry	0	108	159	267
35	Chandigarh	0	0	18	18
	TOTAL:	5368	60884	1356031	1422283
	Number of habitations uninhabited/unpopulated/migrated/ urbanised				381
	GRAND TOTAL:				1422664

NC. Not Covered, PC: Partially Covered, FC: Fully Covered

Implementation of Swajaldhara programme

†3068. DR. PRABHA THAKUR: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether any limit for every State has been fixed in the budget to implement the "Swajaldhara" rural potable water projects;

(b) if so, the maximum cost limit of such projects;

(c) whether 10 per cent share to be paid by the villagers for "Swajaldhara" projects can be contributed by a Member of Parliament from the MPs fund; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI A. NARENDRA): (a) and (b) The comprehensive Guidelines on Swajaldhara issued in June 2003 stipulate earmarking of upto 20 per cent of the Budget provision for Rural Water Supply Programme of Government of India for Swajaldhara Projects. Funds under Swajaldhara are allocated to the States every year as per the inter State Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme (ARWSP) allocation ratio fixed for the year. The Guidelines do not envisage any ceiling in respect of project cost of a single scheme.

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